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SUBJECT: CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE FOR NEW MINISTER OF TRANSPORTATION

FOR MINISTER OF TRANSPORT KURT GSCHIEDLE

REQUEST EMBASSY DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATIONS TO ADDRESSEE:

DEAR MR. MINISTER:

PLEASE ACCEPT MY SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR RECENT APPOINTMENT AS MINISTER OF TRANSPORTATION. I AM CONFIDENT YOU WILL FIND THE RESPONSIBILITIES BOTH CHALLENGING AND REWARDING. I AM ALSO HOPEFUL THAT THE VERY FRUITFUL RELATIONSHIPS THAT EXIST BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES IN THE FIELD OF TRANSPORTATION WILL CONTINUE AS IN THE PAST.

AS I AM SURE YOU ARE AWARE, FORMER MINISTER OF TRANSPORT LAURITZEN HAD BEEN PLANNING A VISIT TO THE U.S. AT SOME FUTURE DATE AS MY GUEST, AND I WOULD LIKE TO REEXTEND THIS INVITATION TO YOU FORMALLY.

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I WILL LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR ACCEPTING MY INVITATION AT A

FUTURE DATE CONVENIENT TO YOU.

SINCERELY, CLAUDE S. BRINEGAR  
SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION  
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